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FOR: **SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR  
PROVIDING CONSUMERS  
ANONYMOUS PRE-APPROVED  
OFFERS FROM A CONSUMER-  
SELECTED GROUP OR  
MERCHANTS**

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed on March 31, 2008, Attorney for the Assignee submits the enclosed amendments and remarks. A Request for Continued Examination and a petition for a one-month extension of time are submitted concurrently herewith.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflecting in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.

**Conclusion** begins on page 16 of this paper.